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In re Application of CHANDLER, VICKI L :
Application No. 09/972805 :
Filed: 10/05/2001
For: **GENETIC FUNCTIONS**
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The Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed SEPTEMBER 27,2005, is **vacated**.

On JULY 21, 2005, a Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due, and a Notice of Allowability were mailed. The Notices required payment of the issue fee.

SEPTEMBER 08,2005, applicant paid the issue fee.

A corrected Notice of Allowance was mailed to the applicant on SEPTEMBER 27,2005. The corrected Notice should not have set a new time period for reply, when the issue fee had already been paid, therefore the corrected notice is **vacated**. The above-identified application is being processed as a patent, since the issue fee has been paid.

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